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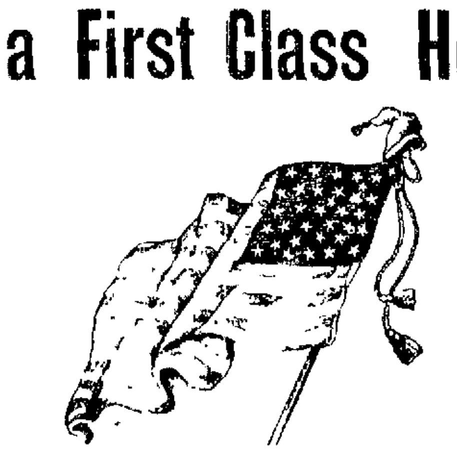

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129 and 135 North Water St.,

The Leading Clothiers and Gents' Furnishers in the City.

IN MEN'S, YOUTHS' AND BOYS'

SUITS & OVERCOATS

Our assortment is simply unparalleled—every style of manufacture can be found in our stock.

SUITS from $5.00 to $35.00; OVERCOATS from $3 00 to $40.00; CHILDREN'S AND BOYS' SUITS from $2.00 to $16.00.

HATS.

We are not only Retailers but Jobbers of Hats and enjoy the facilities for close buying that enables us to undersell any Hat house in the city.

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We have the Largest and most Select Stock in the city, showing all the NEWEST DESIGNS and Novelties in Neckwear, Underwear, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Collars, Cuffs, etc.

MERCHANT TAILORS.

We lead them all in this line. Examine our stock of Piece Goods, consisting of SCOTCH SUITINGS, CLAY WORSTEDS, Montanac and Shetland Overcoatings.

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WM YOUNG. CARL YOUNG

YOUNG BROS.

HAVE OPENED THEIR

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North Side of Park,

And are prepared to furnish the very best

Fresh and Cured Meats,

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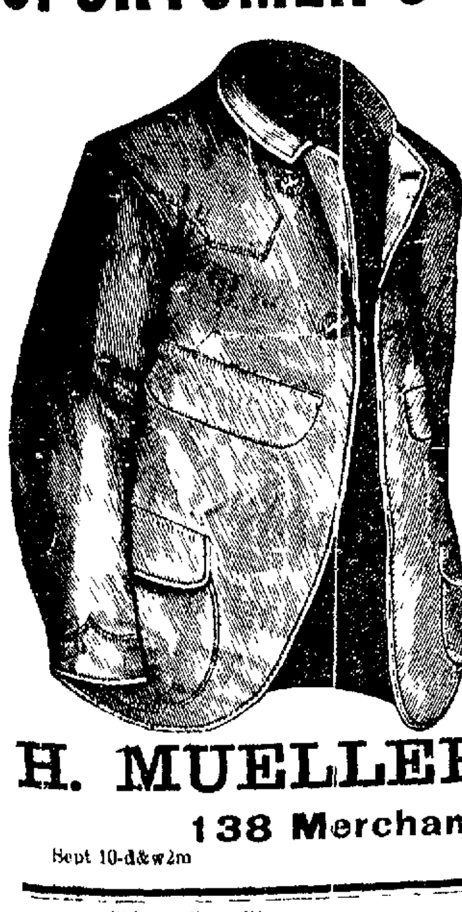

CORDUROY MACKINTOSH

—AND—

CANVAS COATS,

Hats, Caps, Cartridge Bags, Gun Cases, Cartridge Belts and Game Bags,

ALSO, A GENERAL LINE OF

SPORTING GOODS

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Agents for the PARKER BROS' Celebrated Shot Guns, Remington & Sons' Shotguns and Rifles,

Winchester Repeating Rifles

—AND—

ORIENTAL POWDER.

Try our New Brand of Oriental Wing Shot Powder.

Gunsmithing a Specialty.

H. MUELLER & SONS,

138 Merchant Street.

Sept 10-d&w2m

Chicago Exposition.

The Illinois Central R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Chicago Tuesday and Wednesday of each week until the close of the Exposition, at One Fare and a Third for the round trip Tickets good returning up to and including Monday following day of sale.

9-d&wtf C. F. HILDRETH, Ticket Ag t.

THE Best Goods for the Least Money, at LINN & SCRUGGS

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor,

South Side of the Old Square, Decatur.

sept 1886-d&w

HAVE YOU Tried BIG CAN Baking Powder?

THE DECATUR

Gas Light & Coke Co.

IS HEADQUARTERS FOR

COKE

—AND—

TAR,

Coke Delivered to any part of the city on short notice

GIVE IT A TRIAL.

R. J. STRATTON, Supt.

It is certain that "the Hanan" shoe will prove satisfactory to every gentleman who wants a perfect article. We are putting into the manufacture of these shoes the results of 30 years' experience and study, of what will please, give comfort and wear faithfully. Try them. Every first class dealer has them.

FOR SALE BY

POWERS & HAWORTH.

THE

TURNBULL WAGON.

This Wagon is manufactured at Defiance, Ohio—right in the region where first class wagon timber is abundant, and where is no need of putting in second class stock.

It has some points of excellence which farmers and others using wagons should bear in mind. The rubber iron gives the best of satisfaction in making short turns.

It has a bevel shoulder spoke for making the strongest wheel.

It has the patent brake rod attachment.

Its axles are made of selected black hickory and are of extra large size.

End gates, rods, king bolts, pole caps and spoke bands are made of steel.

The wheels are oil boiled to prevent the tire from loosening.

It is the best wagon in the market for general purposes.

Sold only in Decatur by

A. KRAMER,

258 and 260 E. Main St., Decatur, Ills.

I also keep for sale all kinds of Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons Spring Wagons and Road Carts of my own make, and warranted of the very best quality, to which I respectfully invite the attention of my old friends and the public generally.

Sept. 24—d1m-w2m

FRENCH'S HOTEL

City Hall Square, NEW YORK.

Opposite City Hall and the Post Office.

This Hotel is one of the most complete in its appointments and furniture of ANY HOUSE in New York City, and is conducted on the

EUROPEAN PLAN.

Rooms only One Dollar per day. Half minute's walk from Brooklyn Bridge and Elevated R. R. All lines of Cars pass the door. Most convenient Hotel in New York for Merchants to stop at. Dining Rooms, Cafes and Lunch Counter replete with all the luxuries at moderate prices. july29-d&wlyr

SPECIAL sale at Cheap Charley's. Call before they are all gone. d&w

HYGIENIC KNOWLEDGE.

Why Everybody Should Study the Unalterable Laws of Nature.

There are about two hundred and fifty diseases recognized by medical science among the ills that affect humanity, of which about one hundred figure as direct causes of death in the bills of mortality. The general grouping of diseases has been the same from the beginning of medicine, though the advance made in medical science adds to the number of recognized minor types, through a more careful analysis of symptoms, and a more thorough knowledge of causes.

While it is true that certain groups of symptoms are recognized as indicating the presence of certain diseases, yet it is also true that there are hardly any two cases of the same disease that present exactly the same phenomena. Symptoms that are prominent in one case may be entirely absent in the other. Hence it is that a course of medicine that would act promptly and efficiently in one case may be only partially successful in another, or even, perhaps, fail entirely to accomplish a cure.

The advances made of late years in medical research have led to a less entire dependence upon dosing, and to the paying of much more attention to hygiene. For a very large class of ailments, the beginnings must be sought for in a neglect of the laws of health on the part of the sufferer. Impure water, bad ventilation, lack of personal cleanliness, errors in diet, the drinking habit, and other similar health-destroying causes, are responsible for a very large share of the physical woes of humanity. Medicine may give aid when the system is suffering from an attack of disease invited by improper habits of life, but if the same causes are still operative it is only a question of time when a second attack will supervene.

Hence a knowledge of hygienic laws is a necessity to all who would preserve their health and keep their bodily and mental powers at the highest degree of activity. It is true a person may often defy nature's laws in more than one particular for years, without any apparent harm, but there is no doubt but that the duration of life is finally shortened thereby. In point of fact the violation of laws of health is universal. And while the violator may not be conscious of the evil he is doing to himself, the mischief is going on, the springs of life are slowly but steadily being sapped, the constitution is gradually being undermined, and when disease comes the patient either succumbs entirely, or sadly realizes the fact, when it is too late, that good health is gone forever, and life, for him, must be passed in a state of semi-invalidism.

There is an error widely prevalent that there is something in the way of medicine that will cure every disease. It is an utter fallacy. There is no specific known to medical science for any one disease. That is, there is no medicine that will cure that disease every time. Quinine, for example, is of the greatest value in malarial disease, yet every physician has met with cases in which it failed utterly. The cure itself depends upon the recuperative powers of the system. Medicine may aid this in various ways; but if the constitution is broken down, and those recuperative powers exhausted, medicine can do no good.

Hence it follows that the wisest plan is to conserve the natural powers of the body by scrupulously observing hygienic law, and thus prevent disease from obtaining a hold upon the system. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," and it is easier to prevent sickness than to cure it when it has once attacked us.—*Toledo Blade.*

Brace Up.

You are feeling depressed, your appetite is poor, you are bothered with Headache, you are fidgety, nervous and generally out of sorts, and want to *brace up*. Brace up, but not with stimulants, spring medicines, or bitters, which have for their basis very cheap, bad whisky, and which stimulate you for an hour, and then leave you in worse condition than before. What you want is an alterative that will purify your blood, start healthy action of *Liver and Kidneys, restore your vitality*, and give renewed health and strength. Such a medicine you will find in Electric Bitters, and only 50 cents a bottle at Swearingen & Hubbard's drug store. a3

SECRETARY BAYARD is spending his vacation in Boston. If he would run up to Nova Scotia he would no doubt receive an ovation from the Canadian fishermen. He is much more popular in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia than he is in Massachusetts.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. *For sale by* Swearingen & Hubbard. a1

TRY Geo. W. Ebrhart & Co., if you want good Hard Coal. sept21-d1m

W. A. BRIDGES, at 528 North Water Water street, is ready to do paper hanging and painting on short notice at reasonable rates. apr14-dt

PLUSH CLOAKS.

Superior *fast dye* PLUSH CLOAKS, that cannot be equaled for beauty and cheapness. *Don't buy until you look at them.* LINN & SCRUGGS. sept6 d&wtf

FOR sale by Spencer, Lehman & Co, Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps and Iron Force Pumps d&wtf

FOR SALE—by Spencer, Lehman & Co, the old reliable Peter Shuttler Wagon. july21-d&wtf

THE best Wool Flannel and Underwear you ever saw for the prices, at Roach Bros sept15-d&wtf

NEVER excelled and never equaled—the old reliable Peter Shuttler Wagon. Sold by Spencer, Lehman & Co. july21-d&wtf

ALL the best Merrimack Calico, at 5c a yard, and Turkey red Table Damask for 25c, at Roach Bros.', No. 223 south side Park. sept15-d&wtf

IF you want the handsomest and best hard coal base burner ever made, buy the Regal Peninsular.

ANOTHER sale of red underwear at Cheap Charley's. d&w

LATEST novelties in Swiss, Cambric and Nainsook Embroideries and Laces, just received, at Linn & Scruggs. d&w

IF you want the handsomest and best hard coal base burner ever made, buy the Regal Peninsular.

REASONS.

There are forty reasons why men dress well, some of them decidedly curious should they be probed.

Expediency of odd sorts, serves to accomplish certain ends and the like.

Most men, we trust, rise to the higher plane of neatness and good taste. A well bred man pleases himself and enjoys a satisfaction in knowing he attracts no attention by too little dress or too much. In our very full supply of NEW FALL BUSINESS SUITS, DRESS SUITS, FALL OVERCOATS, BOYS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS, you will find the happy medium, that every gentleman of good taste and every mother of refinement, who wishes to see her boys well dressed, enjoys.

In answer to the enquiry so often asked, WHERE CAN I DO THE BEST? we would say, and prove it if necessary, that every dollar's worth of goods that is delivered to us, after being examined and found correct, is paid for, SPOT CASH. This, and a twenty years' experience in our business, knowing how to buy, where to buy, offsets any argument that has been and may be made by any of our competitors as to their offering extraordinary bargains without any good reason on their part as to their superior ability, financially or otherwise, to procure them.

The Reliable Clothier and Gents' Furnisher,

B. STINE.

HANDKERCHIEF SALE

—AT—

BRADLEY BROS.'

New York Store.

ONE HUNDRED DOZEN

LADIES'

Pure Linen Handkerchiefs!

EMBROIDERED AND HEMSTITCHED,

AT 15 CENTS EACH.

☞ Every Handkerchief in this Lot is well worth 25 cents.

BRADLEY BROTHERS'

New York Store.

TWO CASES

—OF—

RED UNDERWEAR

At a Sacrifice.

—AT—

CHEAP CHARLEY'S

Call Before They are All Gone.

A Card.

We wish to inform our many friends and patrons that the parties scouring the country in search of Feathers to renovate, representing themselves as Cox & Co., have no connection with us whatever. They are strangers; they may be here to day and somewhere else to-morrow. We have been established here in the Mattress and Feather business for nearly two years, and we are prepared to do first class work both in Renovating Feathers and Mattresses. All work promptly attended to. Very Resp'y,

J. S. Cox & Co.,

Telephone 153. 553 N. Broadway.

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Stoves Very Cheap

We have a lot of Hard and Soft Coal Heaters as good as new, which we are offering very cheap at

o5-d&w1mo BACHMAN BROS.

HARD COAL, all sizes, on Water street, also Wood and Decatur Coal. Try us. Geo W. Ehrhart & Co. sept21-d1m

WE are prepared to do all kinds of repairing in the machinery line.

may15-dtf H. MUELLER & SONS

ALL parties doing heavy teaming should call at Spencer, Lehman & Co's and examine the celebrated Peter Shuttler Wagon before they buy. 21-dtf

To the Public

Having purchased the Globe Restaurant at 721 E. Cerro Gordo street, I will make it my business to see that all my customers are provided with the best that the market affords, dished up by first class cooks, at 25 cents per meal. Meals at all hours. Respectfully,

WM. M. PEARCE.

Sept. 22, 1886. sept22 dtf

ANY one wanting a first class pump should call on Spencer Lehman & Co, corner of Wood and South Main streets. Feb 17 dtf

IF you have any hose to be repaired, take it to H. Mueller & Sons. m15-dtf

BUSHER & HUTCHIN have just received another invoice of Ladies' Strap Slippers. They are very popular. dtf

SPALDING league balls for $1.00, at H Mueller & Sons, 138 Merchant street. sept10-d1m

ORDER Hard Coal, Decatur Coal and Wood at Cole's drug store. sept21-d1m

TELEPHONE No. 100 for D. A. Maffit's Pure Crystal Ice. All orders promptly filled. April 15 dtf

THE growing demand for Boys' Suits with Knee Pants, for boys ranging from 10 years to 13 years, has induced B. Stine to supply the want of mothers, who have been unable to get them heretofore. may14-dtf

PARTIES wanting pure crystal ice, delivered promptly at their doors, should give their orders to D. A. Maffit. His telephone is 100. Prompt attention to business. Apr15-dtf

W. W. SHOCKEY, the contracting carpenter, is ready for business and will make figures on application. He will also put in patent window screens when desired, and guarantees satisfaction. mar15-dtf

ICE—I am now delivering ice to all parts of the city. Leave orders at Jos Michl's cigar store, or telephone 176. apr15-dtf T. L. ANTRIM.

BUSHER & HUTCHIN for School Shoes

ORDER Hard Coal, Decatur Coal and Wood at Cole's drug store. sep21-d1m

New Carpets.

NEW CARPETS, of the very latest productions in Brussels, Velvets and Ingrains, just received at

LINN & SCRUGGS.

RED underwear at a sacrifice at Cheap Charley's d&w

MASTER IN CHANCERY'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery. To June Term, A. D. 1886.

John K. Warren vs Angeline Orr et al—Foreclosure. No. 1[illegible].

Public notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the June Term, A. D. 1886 by the said court, in the above entitled cause, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon county, Illinois, will, at the hour of two o clock in the afternoon, on *Saturday, the 2d day of October, A. D. 1886,*

at the west door of the court house, in said Macon county, sell, at public vendue, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to wit: Lot ten (10) in block three (3) of Plant & Tuttle's Addition to the town now City of Decatur, Ill.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Said lot is sold subject to redemption.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois this 9th day of September A. D. 1886.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon County, Ill.
W. C. JOHNS, Complainant's Solicitor.
sept9 d4w

$1.45 PER 100

For the Best Straw

WRAPPING PAPER.

—ALSO—

RAG WRAPPING PAPER

And MANILLA EXPRESS

Sold at Very Low Prices.

Send your orders to

M. J. COHEN & CO.,

621 N Main St, Decatur, Ill.

Telephone 21. Rag Warehouse

Also paying highest market price for Scrap Iron, Rags, Rubbers, Metals of all kinds. Mail orders receive prompt attention.

Sept. 30 d&w2m

GET A HOME.

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THE SECOND SERIES OF THE

LOAN AND HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION,

of Decatur, Ill., is now open to subscribers.

Monthly installments of 50 cents and upwards will draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, stock and interest subject to withdrawal at pleasure of the holder, under the rules and regulations of the society.

Loans made to stockholders monthly.

OFFICE—At No 145 N. Water street, over New York Store.

JOHN T. BARNET, Pres t.
B. MCGORRAY, Secretary. sept16-d2m

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery.

The Board of School Trustees of Township Sixteen, Range Two East of 3d P. M. vs. Samuel Corbett and Dorcas Corbett—Foreclosure No. 11,485.

Public notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of a decree entered at the May Term, A. D. 1882, by the said Court in the above entitled cause, I, R. McClellan, Special Commissioner, will, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, on

Tuesday, the 26th day of October, A. D. 1886,

at the west door of the Court House, in said Macon county, sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon, state of Illinois, to-wit: The north half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, all in section No. thirty-six in Township Sixteen, north range two east of the 3d P. M.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash. Said land is sold subject to redemption.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 4th day of October, A. D 1886.

R. MCCLELLAN,
Special Commissioner.

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The Daily Republican.

D. K. HAMSHER. J. H. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri'trs
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, second class mail matter.

WEDNESDAY EVE., OCT. 13, 1886.

EVERYBODY knows that George P. Hardy will be re-elected county clerk. The county could hardly spare him. He is the best county clerk in Illinois, by odds, and the people know it. Hence they will retain his services.

DICK STEELE has been housed up for several weeks by a savage attack of illness, but he is now out again and is making a lively canvass. Wherever he goes he receives assurances of support from people who were supposed to be against him. His boom is on, and it will continue to grow from now until election day.

EVERYTHING indicates that the democratic policy in this county is to make a still hunt—no public meetings, no newspaper talk in favor of candidates, but lots of handshaking and plenty of whispered consultations. Republicans do not want to be caught napping. The Democrats are not asleep—they are merely playing possum.

CAPT. ROWELL has held two meetings in the county this week, both of which were largely attended, and that our congressman was well received was made evident in more ways than one. His speeches are of the kind that set people to thinking, and for that reason are of the very best and most effective character. Capt. Rowell has more friends in Macon county to-day than ever before.

CAN anybody tell in what particular Cliff Betzer is a better man for sheriff than John Manzy? The latter has had long experience as deputy, is perfectly familiar with all the workings of the office, is attentive and obliging to everybody, and in short possesses every necessary qualification for the office in a degree superior to his competitor. When voters cast their ballots for *John Manzy* they can rest assured that they are voting for "the best man."

HAS anybody any idea that the Republican candidate for county superintendent could hold as good positions in the schools of this and *neighboring* cities as he has if he was a common or ordinary man? The truth is Mr. Evans is a man of much more than ordinary ability in his profession, who has occupied places in all the various grades, from primary to high school, and has had experience in both city and country schools. He is the peer of any man who ever held the office in this county.

THE only objection anybody urges against Andrew H. Mills as a suitable man for county judge is on account of his age. In the name of common sense, how old must a man get before he is old enough to run for office? Mr. Mills is about thirty-five years of age older than the present county judge of Cook county, older than Judge Treat of the United States court of this district was when he first went upon the circuit bench, older than most of the distinguished jurists of the state were when they first assumed the judicial office. It is a nonsensical and foolish objection, and shows the poverty of argument used by those who oppose Mr. Mills. No one questions his integrity or his ability, and every other consideration sinks into insignificance compared with those.

NEW YORK *Tribune:* Mayor Harrison of Chicago is quoted as saying: "I don't want to be known by my reputation, for that is d—d bad, but my character is above reproach." It is understood in the Northwest that the Mayor's reputation wouldn't be so bad if he hadn't thrown that big punch bowl at the head of Bayard at the famous meeting of the Iroquois Club. And they also say that his reputation on the same occasion was adversely affected by his beating to a jelly with a long black bottle the heads of all the guests of the evening who expressed free-trade convictions. But we are all glad to know that his character retains its virgin purity.

ST. LOUIS *Globe-Dem.:* A boa-constrictor twenty-seven feet long escaped from a box in one of the streets of New York on Saturday, and created much consternation among a large crowd of people who witnessed the event. When the New York papers relate the circumstances they will doubtless inform their readers that "Lord Lonsdale, accompanied by Miss Violet Cameron, happened to be passing at the time, and shared in the general feeling of alarm," or words to that effect. Anything to keep the English stage-tramps before the people.

GERMANTOWN, Saxony, Spanish and Springfield, Ohio, yarns, in over 50 shades, and at lowest prices, at Roach Bros. sept15-d&wtf

TWENTY-FIVE good houses are in course of erection at O'Niel, Neb.

GENT'S fine imported Merino hose, 25c up to 50c a pair, at B. Stine's.

ORDER Hard Coal, Decatur Coal and Wood at Cole's drug store. sep21-d1m

BY TELEGRAPH

FROM WASHINGTON.

Colonel Lamont Says the President Has Not Got His Back Up.

A Questionable Appointment—Serious Charge Against the Alabama Claims Commission.

The Late Chief Justice Chase—Secretary Manning in Washington—Claims —Important Vacancies.

The President and the Partisan Office-Holders.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Colonel Lamont and the Civil-Service Commissioners are not agreed as to the manner in which the President receives the report that his Civil-Service order has been violated by the Federal officials. A few days ago a Civil-Service Commissioner said that "The President's back was up, and he proposed to make some examples." This was said in reference to the violations of that order of which the press has taken notice; but now it seems that the White House officials do not wish to have this statement believed. This, at least, is the statement of Colonel Lamont:

"There is absolutely no truth in the printed statement that the President has been made indignant by any violations of his order in relation to Federal office-holders and politics. The President has got no list of names of persons who are to be dismissed on account of their action in this regard. He has, it is true, received one or two complaints against office-holders, but they were anonymous communications and have been referred to the departments under which those complained of hold their commissions."

It is perhaps enough to say that the Civil-Service Commissioner obtained his information from a friend of the Civil-Service act who had had a conference with the President on that very subject.

A Questionable Appointment.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—An impression prevails that the President has made a mistake in the selection of Mr. Ferritt, of New Orleans, as Supervising Architect. It is said that Mr. Ferritt has not had enough experience properly to perform the duties of the office, and that he is not as well versed in the profession as he should be to prepare the requisite plans for the construction of government buildings. Two of the principal buildings which have been constructed in New Orleans, the Cotton Exchange and Pickwick Club buildings, were built under the supervision of Mr. Ferritt. Each of these buildings are already badly out of line.

Serious Charge Against the Alabama Claims Commission.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Jerome F. Manning, the principal attorney for a majority of the claimants before the Alabama Claims Commission, has filed suit in the District Supreme Court for a mandamus to compel the Secretary of State to furnish to the Secretary of the Treasury a certified copy of the judgments and decisions of the court, with a correct list of the attorneys appearing on behalf of parties obtaining the judgments. Manning charges in his petition that the commission have entered false judgments and certified them to the Secretary of State, who in turn certified them to the Secretary of the Treasury.

Ex-Secretary of War McCrary.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Ex-Secretary of War McCrary, of Iowa, has arrived in the city. This is the first time he has been here since he retired from President Hayes' Cabinet. The ex-Secretary is now on the Federal bench, and will soon hear the trials of the alleged conspirators in the labor troubles on the Gould Southwestern railway system. He is here for the purpose of consulting with the Attorney-General as to the method of procedure in these cases.

The Late Chief Justice Chase.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The remains of the late Chief Justice Chase were on Monday removed from their resting place in Oak Hill Cemetery preparatory to shipping to Cincinnati. The casket was opened in the presence of General H. V. Boynton, who was an intimate personal friend of the late Chief Justice, and the remains were fully identified. They were in a good state of preservation.

Secretary Manning at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The limited express from New York due here at 9 p. m. last night brought Secretary and Mrs. Manning to the city. A delegation of the treasury officials were at the depot to meet Mr. Manning and exchange greetings. The Secretary stated that he experienced no discomfort in traveling and was feeling well.

Claims Against the Government.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The Second Comptroller has decided that when a claim against the Government once decided has been reopened and reheard, a second rehearing should not be granted except upon the strongest evidence of irregularity in the former proceedings or new discoveries of essential facts.

Three Important Vacancies in the Army.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Brigadier-General J. H. Potter was retired yesterday on becoming sixty-four years of age. This makes three important vacancies. It is rumored that all are to be filled simultaneously.

THE HAZY MONTH.

A Balmy October that Beats the Record and Baffles all the Weather Prophets

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—The present fine weather over all the country has given weather prophets a black eye, and even Rev. Ira R Hicks' friends are wondering what has become of his first October danger period set for the "7th to 13th." The past week has been unusually free from atmospheric disturbances, only an occasional rain-storm being reported here and there. There has been no rain in St. Louis since Wednesday, September 29, two weeks to-day—but the unusual feature is the high October temperature. The normal for the month is only 57.7, but so far this month the mean is 64.2, which is higher than any other October mean, the nearest being 62.8 in 1881. The highest this month was 80.3 degrees, which was on last Sunday, but it has been much higher in previous Octobers, in 1879 90 degrees having been recorded twice in that month.

A continuance of the pleasant weather is looked for, but in the Northwest, at St. Vincent, Minn., the mercury got as low as 24 degrees this morning.

A Sad Suicide.

MOAWEQUA, Ill., Oct. 13.—A few days ago these dispatches contained an account of a bastardy suit in which Alice M. Huges, a sixteen year old orphan girl, was the plaintiff. To-day our little village was thrown into a state of excitement by the announcement that the poor deceived child had committed suicide by drowning herself in a pond near the house of Wm. Reighly, Sr., with whom she lived. Your correspondent immediately repaired to the scene of the tragedy, where the following facts were learned: About ten o'clock the unfortunate girl stated her intention of going to her room to arrange some clothing. Not returning, search was instituted for her. Upon going to her room her things were found to have been most neatly arranged, but she was nowhere to be seen. From the room Mrs. Reighly went out to a fish pond near the house, where she was horrified to find the lifeless form of the poor girl immersed in twelve inches of water. A neighbor was summoned, who took her from the water, but life was extinct, she having been in the pond at least an hour. A strange fact connected with her death was that yesterday she was sixteen years old, and was about to become a mother. Coroner Sampson will arrive and hold an inquest to-day.

Partial Raise of the Cattle Quarantine in Missouri.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Oct. 13.—Governor Marmaduke has issued the following proclamation in relation to the cattle quarantine:

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, It has been made known to the president of the Board of Health that all the cattle that were diseased with or exposed to pleuro-pneumonia in the Province of Quebec, Canada, have been slaughtered, and the premises thoroughly disinfected, and that what was thought to be pleuro pneumonia in the State of Ohio has proven to have been some other disease, the Governor of Ohio producing official evidence that no pleuro-pneumonia has appeared in said State since 1881, and

WHEREAS, The president of said Board of Health has given me notice of the revocation of so much of the quarantine established by said board on the 2d of October, 1886, as applies to the Province of Quebec, Canada, and the State of Ohio.

Now, therefore, I, John S. Marmaduke, Governor of the State of Missouri, do hereby exempt the Province of Quebec, Canada, and the State of Ohio, from the terms of my proclamation of October 1, 1886, and declare that healthy cattle may be brought into this State from those.

Preparing to Furnish More Accurate Reports in the Future.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—The shelter shed which the Signal service has so long needed to make its readings more accurate is now an assured fact, and the doubt cast upon their data in past years by the unfortunate exposure of instruments they have had to endure will be dissipated this winter. The new shed will be erected on the southwest corner of the custom house roof. The bottom being not less than ten feet from the roof. A double roof with a passage for air between each part will prevent the sun's heat from affecting the thermometers. Sergeant Weber would have had it erected some time ago, only that he is waiting until all the bids for putting it up are in. This will cost but a small sum, but red tape requirements compel him to go through a tedious form.

In a few days the twenty remaining Signal-Service stations not visited by Sergeant Weber in his recent trip will be inspected by Observer F. E. Lunn, of the local office.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

A Federal Court Passes on the Question of Taxing National Banks.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Judge Wallace of the United States Circuit Court rendered a decision yesterday of much importance to the tax-payers of New York directly, and to the entire country generally, involving many millions of dollars. About a year ago Receiver of Taxes George W. McLean levied a tax upon the shares of National Banks. The banks, as representing the shareholders, resisted the demand of the receiver, and obtained an injunction restraining him from collecting the tax. The decision of Judge Wallace is made upon a motion of thirty-five of the banks to have the injunction made permanent. The motion for an injunction is denied.

Derailed at Fifty Miles an Hour.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Oct. 13.—The 3:45 p. m. Philadelphia express train was wrecked at the Grant Avenue station in this city at 5:20 p. m. yesterday, while running at the rate of fifty miles an hour. The entire train consisting of a smoker, two parlor cars and two coaches, ran over a hundred yards after leaving the track, but no one was injured, except the fireman, who was pitched violently forward and bruised about the chest. The train was under the direction of John Merritt, conductor, and William Rhodes, engineer. The accident was caused by a misplaced switch. The cars, except the smoker, are but little damaged.

He Stood High Before He Went to Canada.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Oct. 13.—Ed Robinson, proprietor of the Factory Point Wool Mills, one of the oldest mills in this State, left for parts unknown, having forged a note on his father, and owing sums to merchants and farmers aggregating $20,000. He had been acting suspiciously for some time, having slept with his clothes on for three weeks past, and carried two pistols continuously. Farmers to whom he is indebted are stripping the mill of its contents in hopes of saving a little something of their loss. Robinson was born and raised in this county, and heretofore stood high in this community. He has gone to Canada.

The Passengers of the Anchoria.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The steamer Miranda will bring as many of the Anchoria's passengers to this city as she can carry. The others will be brought by the Ethiopia, which is about leaving Glasgow and will touch at St. Johns.

BOODLERS REARRESTED

The Flight of Sayles to Canada Stirs Up the District Attorney.

The Rearrest of the Whole Gang of Aldermanic Boodlers Ordered and Partially Executed.

Bonds Increased From Twenty-Five to Forty Thousand Dollars—Location of the Accused.

The Flight of the Boodlers.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—One of the most unhappy men in town is District Attorney Martine. The story of ex-Alderman Sayles' departure to Canada was a severe blow, and the information received yesterday morning that the indicted alderman's bondsman, Sol Sayles, had transferred the property pledged in the bond of $25,000 for his appearance was worse news yet. "Candor compels me to say," replied District Attorney, "that I have no doubt that Sayles has gone."

A Montreal special to the *Post* says: "The exiled boodlemen to-day have been showing around three strangers from New York, who arrived by last night's train. They are believed to be ex-Aldermen Sayles and Kirk, and the former's brother. They are living at the St. Lawrence Hall under assumed names."

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—At half past one o'clock yesterday afternoon Inspector Byrnes received a bulky package from the district-attorney's office. It contained an order from the district-attorney, accompanied by bench warrants for the arrest of all the "boodle" aldermen of the board of 1884, save for Henry L. Sayles, whose flight to Canada has inspired the crusade, the prosecution of which was thus placed in the hands of Inspector Byrnes. Results were first felt down at the district-attorney's at three o'clock. Inspector Byrnes had at once put all his available men at work to serve the warrants. Alderman Patrick Farley had been the first to feel the indrawing force of the big drag-net, which had been again spread out over the entire city to envelop the handful of men. At the hour named he was brought in by detectives and at once taken to the district-attorney's office and from there into court, accompanied by his attorney and by counsel for the other boodlers, who had got wind of the raid. The district attorney, addressing the court, recited the facts of Sayles' flight, detailed the facts of the cases having been put on the calendar and stated that he had now caused bench warrants to be issued for the rearrest of not only the four whose trial day had been fixed, but of all others under indictment. The district attorney asserted that since the flight of Sayles he had no longer any faith in anybody. He doubted whether any amount of bail would keep the others within the court's jurisdiction, but in case the Court should decline to hold the men without bail, he would ask that it be increased in each case from $25,000, the present amount, to $75,000.

Counsel for the "boodlers" pleaded against an increase in the amount of bail, but the court decided to make it $40,000 in each case. Alderman Kirk, who had come in voluntarily in the meantime, at once gave bail and went away. Then, one after the other, the detectives brought in Aldermen Miller, Cleary, McCabe and McQuade. Of these Cleary, McCabe and McQuade secured the additional bail during the early evening. Farley and Miller were unable to furnish the added security and were locked up in the Tombs for the night.

Later on Aldermen Shields, O'Neill and Reilly were arrested and locked up. Pearson was seen in Brooklyn last night by a reporter, to whom he said he would be at the district-attorney's office this morning to give the extra bail. Thus nine have been rearrested and disposed of as stated and there yet remains to be arrested or reported, Duffey Fink, Fullgraff and Wendell. The case of the absent Sayles has been placed on the calendar for to-day. He will not respond, the bail will be declared forfeited and immediate steps will be taken to secure and enter judgment against his bondsman, Sol Sayles, which will be placed in the sheriff's hands. Should it be returned unsatisfied by reason of conveyance of the property, the corporation counsel will be called upon to bring suit to render the transfer invalid on the ground of fraudulent intent.

The indicted members of the Board of Aldermen of 1884 are located up the present as follows:

In Canada—Henry Sayles, Charles Dempsey, Robert E. DeLacey.

In Germany—Thomas Rothman.

On the way there—Rudolph A. Fullgraff.

In Sing Sing—Henry W. Jaehne.

Dead—Michael F. McLaughlin, Patrick Kenny.

Out on $10,000 bail—Thomas Cleary, Michael Duffy, William P. Kirk, Arthur J. McQuade, Francis McCabe, Thomas Shells.

In the Tombs—Patrick Farley, William H. Miller.

At police headquarters—John O'Neill, Charles H. Reilly.

At large in New York—Frederick Finck, Louis Wendel, James Pearson.

In the house of detention—Charles B. Waite.

THE RICHMOND CONVENTION.

The Work of Revision of the Constitution Begun—Powderly's Letter.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 13.—Work upon the revision of the constitution of the *Knights of Labor organization begun at* the session of the convention yesterday. This is the most important business before the body, with the exception of the election of officers, and will embrace the questions relating to the consolidation of district into State assemblies, recognizing trades unions, increasing the membership of the executive board, the salaries of officers and all matters relating to strikes, boycotts, etc. The committee appointed at the Cleveland convention to consider the revision of the constitution, reported when the delegates convened yesterday morning. The reports were printed and copies placed in the hands of each one present. A motion to proceed at once to the consideration of the report prevailed, and the discussion began. Some of the various other questions submitted (there are several hundred of them) will come up as amendments to the report at various stages of its consideration.

The debate was very lively at times, and bitter personalities were indulged in, so much so that a controversy was renewed at one of the hotels and came near resulting in an encounter between delegates. Nearly every district represented here has several propositions of local interest, and meetings are being held by them to agree upon a plan of procedure in the convention.

District No. 30 of Massachusetts was the first to meet, and having reached no conclusion were in session again last night.

It is stated that the contention which cropped out this morning, and the feeling which is being engendered has led the cool heads to hope for an early adjournment. With this in view, an effort will be made to clear up all the work except election of officers and some forms by Saturday next. This will make it easy to adjourn in one week.

The President and Mrs. Cleveland will visit the State fair here one week from to-day, and many of the delegates are fighting on adjournment to conform with that event, so they can attend the fair *and leave for home.*

It was stated by one of his official associates last night that Mr. Powderly had concluded to reconsider his determination not to supply the press with statements of the work on account of the adverse criticism of him, and that he would designate a judicious delegate to-day to furnish the proper amount of information. So far as the white citizens of Richmond are concerned, it seems that Mr. Powderly has not helped himself by his letter published yesterday morning on the color question. Last evening's *State*, an organ of public opinion here says: "Whatever Mr. Powderly himself may think, his friends must confess that he has made a mistake on the social equality question."

The *Whig*, one of the most influential newspapers in the South, in a lengthy and carefully written editorial on Mr. Powderly's letter, says: "Like a great many explanations made under similar circumstances, Mr. Powderly's explaining his attitude with respect to the recent eruption of the color line doesn't explain. Whereas, he had before only put his foot in, he now thrusts in a whole leg. Realizing that he made a mistake, alone commits the additional blunder of having that knowledge to put him in a bad humor, as the tone of his letter clearly indicates. So far as any intelligent purpose is accomplished by it, Mr. Powderly's letter might as well have been left unwritten. If he is working on the *negro* in the interest of a political motive, which there is no reason to doubt, he has gone about it just as any other *politician who courted the negro vote* would have done. If it is his purpose to wean the negro votes from their *fealty to the Republican party and attach* them to the Labor party, we can assure him that his course is calculated to have that effect."

Anarchists Released—Fielden's Letter

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—William S. Snyder and Thomas Brown, the two Anarchists *who have been held in jail* since the Haymarket riot and were indicted for riot and conspiracy in connection with that affair, were yesterday morning released upon their own recognizance by Judge Gary. *Mr. Grinnell* requested this disposition of the prisoners and it is probable that they will never be tried. Snyder is an American by birth, and Brown is the only Irishman connected with the events of May 4, save the policemen. Both men are quite young and are considered by the officers more foolish than criminal.

Samuel Fielden, one of the condemned Anarchists, sends a letter to the papers here in which he speaks of the assault made on the informer Waller in a North side drinking saloon, and intimates that the assault was arranged by the police to make certain the doom of the condemned men. He says that if Waller knew the saloon was an Anarchist resort, why did he venture to obtrude into such a place. He finally declares that he has been led *to believe that the speeches* made by the seven condemned men have changed the current of public opinion more in their favor.

Release of the Marion Grimes.

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 13.—Though Consul-General Phelan deposited four hundred dollars Monday afternoon to obtain the release of the schooner Marion Grimes, the vessel was not released until yesterday. The cruiser's captain then docked the vessel and when the order was received from the customs department to release her, it was not obeyed. Consul Phelan telegraphed to Ottawa for the immediate release of the Grimes, and no doubt the authorities sent another order to Shelburn, as soon after noon the Canadian officers withdrew from the schooner. Consul Phelan is very indignant, and he says the authorities at Washington also are, at Captain Quigley's treatment of the American colors, and terms it nothing short of an insult, *at which Americans will be justly irritated.*

He Was Ill, and Went to Canada for His Health

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Word was received at the post-office here Monday that Assistant Postmaster Burridge was ill. He had not been at his post since Saturday, but nothing wrong was suspected until late in the afternoon of yesterday, when a request was received from the New York postal authorities for a receipt for $3,700 sent to the Troy office. It was then discovered that this amount was missing, and inquiry at Burridge's house failed to discover his whereabouts. It is thought he has fled to Canada. An investigation of his accounts is now in progress. Stock speculations are said to be the cause of his downfall. He was prominent in military and Grand Army affairs.

Anarchist Sympathizers in Jail.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—John Beck, Gottfried Dalder, Jost Hammer and Adolph Hansen, the men arrested for assaulting Gottfried Waller, the Anarchist who turned State's evidence, were arraigned before Justice Kersten, yesterday morning. They were held for examination *under bail aggregating $900 each.*

Terribly Mangled

FINDLAY, O., Oct. 12.—As Charles B. O'Donnell was about to torpedo a water well at the Findlay refinery yesterday afternoon, the nitro-glycerine was prematurely discharged and O'Donnell was thrown to a height of fifty feet. He was terribly mangled and died in a few hours.

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Mrs. Mary A. Livermore—Lecture—well known and will be warmly welcomed by all who have heard her.

Hon. Justin McCarthy—Member of Parliament and champion of the cause of Ireland, on which subject he will talk.

The Boston Star Company—a rare entertainment, including Medora Henson Emerson, a star vocalist; Walter Emerson, the world renowned cornetist; John Thomas, humorist; Harry Daggett, pianist; Nella F. Brown, reader.

Gilmore's Band—accompanied by a prima donna singer.

The plan for sale of tickets and selection of seats will be the same as last year.

Two hundred and ten First Choice (Blue Tickets) seats will be sold at $3.00 each. The remaining 270 Second Choice (Red Tickets) seats at $2.00 each.

Purchasers of tickets will be duly notified of the time and place of selection of seats, which selection will be by lot. Secure your tickets at once. o13-dtf

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the postoffice at Decatur, Macon county, Ill., for week ending Oct. 13, 1886:

Brown Chas	Harde Mrs
Brandt Miss Flora	Johnson Wm T
Buskirk Henry	Kirby Edward
Coble Abram	Kellogg J B
Cain Frank	Keller Miss J Electa
Curtis Miss Ida S	King T E
Coon Ivon	Lawson Charles
Chase Mrs J C	Dodun James H
Carnwell R M	Millallion Nora A
Casgrove Thos	Moore Alvin
Compton W C 2	Millain F
Dawson Bertie A	Manis Isaac
Day Harry	Mauron Miss Julia
De Bona Jules	Nichliss Albert
Davis R L	Neary Miss Minnie
Duckworth Thos	Fsburn Frank
Delahunty T	Paxton Geo
Elkin Fred M	Pletche Miss Jennie B
Fletcher Mrs Martha	Perkin Miss Kate
Fitzgerald Steven	Payne Mr & Mrs Thos
Foster Mrs Rebecca	Russom Miss Emm
Forester Wm A	Russell John
Gilbert Mrs Anna	Robinson Pramila
Goodman Mrs Ella	Smith A L
Gulu Miss Josie	Stal C B
Holm Miss Eva	Stewart Miss Emma D
Hayer Mrs Frank	Wilson Mrs Emma
Hawthorne Harry	Walt A R
Hoffman J C	Widdick Miss Ida
Hodge Walter	Waddell Joshua
Hingry Wm	Wood G C

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Special.

Mrs. Alice Hawkes Parker has returned from Chicago, where she has spent a fortnight posting herself in the latest Fall and Winter styles. Mrs. Parker is with Mrs. M. L. McDonald at 125 East Main street. o1-dtf

"Progress; or What Time Is It, and Where Are We?"

Is the title of a lecture to be delivered at the Christian church on Thursday evening, Oct. 14, by Prof. B. J. Radford, formerly President of Eureka College, now associate editor of the *Christian Standard*, Cincinnati. The The Terre Haute *Courier* has the following notice of this lecture:

"PROGRESS.—It had been given out that this would be one of the best lectures ever delivered in Terre Haute, and those who went with that expectation were certainly not disappointed. Prof. Radford is a giant viewed from a standpoint of intellect. Every word contained a jewel, and it seemed that in reasoning the outcome of progress he could speak by inspiration."

This lecture is delivered under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Society of the Christian church, and the price of admission has been fixed at 25 cents. oct8-dtd.

Fine Millinery.

At Mrs. K. Einstein's New Millinery Store on North Water street, two doors north of Millikin's bank. Mrs. Einstein has received a large stock of fine Millinery goods from New York, for the Fall trade, which enables her to sell goods at 25 per cent lower than any house in Decatur. Miss Clara McCoy, who has charge of the Trimming department, is an artist in her line; her styles are always the latest. A *call is solicited. Remember the place,* 110 N. Water St. sept15-d&wtf

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CONCERT at the opera house Tuesday, Oct. 12th, for the benefit of the baptist church. Everybody should attend. 6 dtd

Last Grand Excursion to Iowa.

On Tuesday, October 19, the Illinois Central railroad will run its last Low Rate Excursion to Iowa points, at following rates: To Storm Lake and Cherokee, $11.00; to Le Mars, $12.00; Tickets good returning. Thirty Days from date of sale. Stop-over privileges granted west of Iowa Falls. Train leaves Decatur at 7:30 a. m. C. F. HILDRETH, oct12-dtd Ticket Agent.

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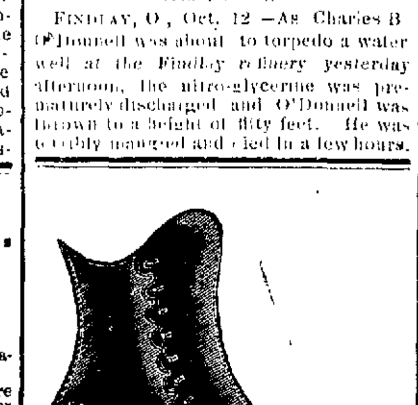

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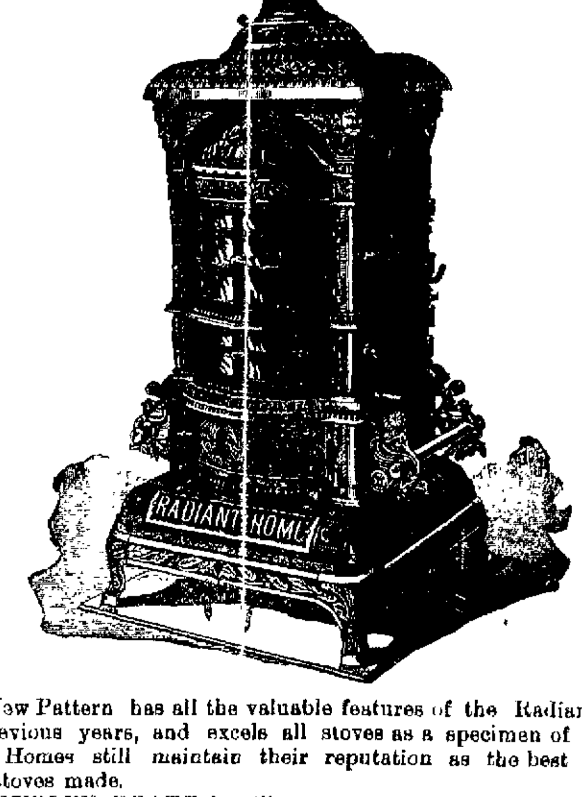

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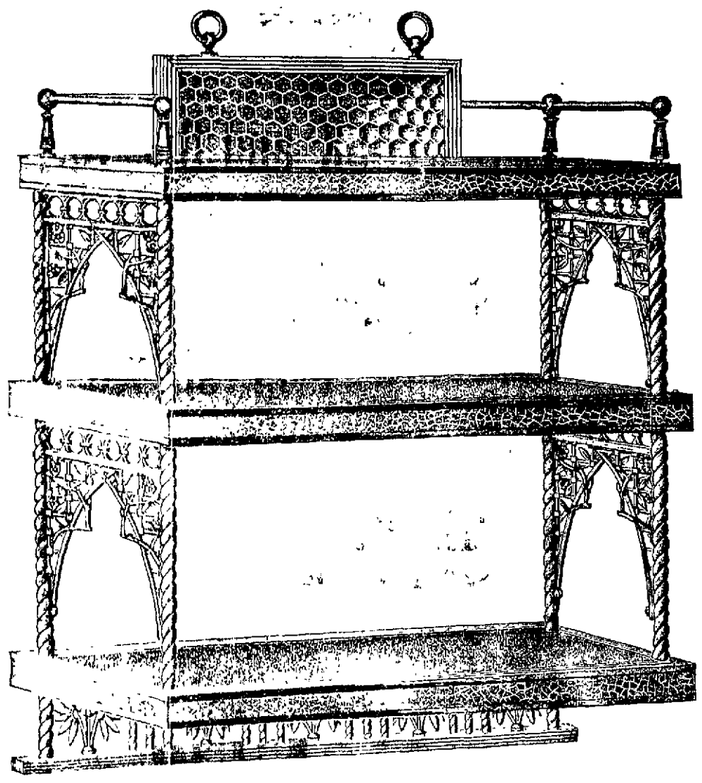

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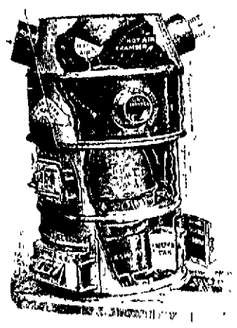

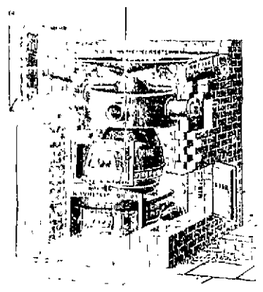

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The Rally at Blue Mound.

There was an enthusiastic rally of Republicans of Pleasant View towhship at Blue Mound last night, when 200 to 300 voters, with many ladies, attended the meeting held in the town hall. D. H. Dunbar served acceptably as chairman. Capt. J. H. Rowell, candidate for congress, spoke for nearly two hours, delivering an address full of food for thought and spiced with anecdotes. The speech was well received, and was complimented by several independent democrats in attendance. A. H. Mills, George R. Steele and J. H. Manzy, the next county judge, treasurer and sheriff, made short talks and formed the acquaintance of voters. The Republican voters of Pleasant View are all in line for the straight ticket, and will make a good showing on election day.

The enterprising town of Blue Mound has a bright prospect before it, and is daily growing in population. The water works for the town are nearly completed.

THE loss of John Trainor by the recent fire at his home is fully $900. The five year insurance policy in the Rockford had been allowed to run out through an oversight.

THE Will L. Smith and Andrews combination that started out from Decatur some months ago has disbanded, and the Smith section are now in the city recovering from an attack of Durango fever. Mrs. Smith is very ill. It is represented that Anderson worked Smith for $181.10, besides failing to pay salaries. Will says he doesn't want any more combination shows.

Wedding Bells at Elwin.

The marriage of Mr. Lewis C. Elba, of Decatur, and Miss Mollie E. Hamilton, daughter of Mrs. O. Hamilton, was solemnized by Rev. W. L. Bankson at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening (Oct. 12) at the home of the bride's mother near Elwin, in the presence of about 150 invited guests. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Durfee, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ullrich, F. M. Webb, Charles Moffit, Mrs. L. B. C. Lellingwell, Miss Minnie LaRoe, Miss Annie Moffit, Miss Mary Williams and sister, of Decatur, were present. The bride wore a white gros-grain silk, richly trimmed with brocaded white velvet, and ornamented with natural flowers. The groom appeared in convoutional black. A sumptuous wedding supper followed the cordial congratulations. The bride received a very large collection of useful and ornamental gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis arrived in the city last night and took possession of their new home at No. 573 West Decatur street.

HOW BAKING POWDERS ARE MADE.

While rival companies are disputing as to what ingredients are to be found in the "best baking powder," the public will be interested in the following definition of these now indispensable articles, as given by Appleton's Cyclopedia, the acknowledged American authority:

"The best baking powders are composed of bitartrate of potash (cream of tartar), tartaric acid, carbonate of ammonia, and soda bi carbonate, bound together by a little starch."

To Citizens of Decatur and Vicinity.

I have recently purchased of D. F. Hamsher, on East Wood street, between Water and Main, the entire stock of wagon materials, tools, benches, blacksmith fixtures, etc., and have leased the west half of said Hamsher building, for the purpose of accommodating the public generally in whatever they may need in the repair line on wagons, drays, buggies, etc., either in woodwork, blacksmithing, painting or trimming. Parties wishing anything in my line will do well to give me a call, as I employ good workmen and do good work as cheap as the cheapest. Remember the place—East Wood street, between Water and Main.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., OCT. 13, 1886.

LOCAL NEWS.

FOR PRESENTS look through the mammoth assortment at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

ASK for White Loaf flour.

SECURE seats for "Bound to Succeed" to be given Saturday night.

BUY ice of Maffit—Telephone 199.

THE old Decatur ball team defeated the Prickly Ash club at Little Rock yesterday, by a score of 4 to 1. Rah!

BUSHER & HUTCHIN for School Shoes

BUY your groceries at Peter Ullrich's store, East Main street.

DAVE KAUFMAN, the local weather sage, predicts that the first snow will appear about Oct. 23.

MR SILAS PACKARD advertises his residence property on North Main street for sale. He has occupied that corner for 30 years and desires to make a change.

PRESCOTT keeps always on hand a complete stock of Pianos and Organs, from which an instrument may be selected to suit the most critical.

DRIVE whist will be the principal game at the parlors of the Decatur Club to morrow night. It will be Ladies' Night.

DELICIOUS peaches in baskets and California grapes at Lehman & Bolen's grocery store on Merchant street.

DECATUR will probably make an effort to secure the next annual state convention of the Y. M. C. A. Such a gathering of christian workers is to be longed for by any community.

DO YOUR trading at Montgomery's store on North Water street.

TUESDAY the 56th birthday of Rev. John H. Myers, widely known as a Baptist preacher, was celebrated last night at the family home on South Church street. A fine supper was served and the old gentleman received a number of gifts.

DEAL with J. Lytle & Co. in Opera block. Get good groceries there; also Vienna bread and cakes.

THE refitted Brenneman & Co. saloon will be closed from Tuesday night until Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, when it will be opened for the inspection of the public. No business will be done on Wednesday evening. The grand opening will be on Thursday, when a sumptuous free lunch will be served. Everybody is invited to call and partake. 13-1t

NEW road carts and fine Iron Felloe farm wagons to suit you at D. F. Hamsher shop, Wood street.

THE famous warbler, Emma Rice, who was here with Col. Wood's show and made a hit, will appear to-night in the variety-burlesque show.

TELEPHONE to Niedermeyer. He will supply you with good groceries.

EDWARD HUSTON, who was in the furniture business in Decatur for many years, has rented the Shaffer building at Maroa, where he will at once open a full stock of furniture. He is an experienced furniture man, and a very clever gentleman in all the relations of life.

CALL on Abel & Locke for real bargains in fine carpets; also household novelties.

The Concert.

A large and appreciative audience attended the artistic concert given at the opera house last night by the Baptist church choir, kindly assisted by local talent. The participants were Fannie Ehrman, Lizzie Kniesper, Mrs. O. F. Spaulding, Mrs J. P. Boyd, Miss Witherspoon, Mr. Tucker, H. Nillson, Mamie Freeman, Elmer Miller, B. Brown, Charlie Freeman, Mae Harwood, Eugene Wayne, Henry Roberts, Mr. Fears, Mr Lindermood, Ira Brown and others. The vocal and instrumental selections were varied, and the choir sustained its reputation as excellent singers. Mr. Brown made a big hit with his banjo, and quite unexpectedly perhaps those engaging in the "Singer's March" caused considerable merriment by their odd evolutions. Quite reluctantly they returned to repeat the scene with variations.

HE was selecting presents for his girl before Christmas. He bought an amber comb, a box of caramels, and a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and showed himself thereby a right sensible dude.

"Enterprise of great pith and moment" are so engrossing the minds of men, that they neglect their own affairs, and grow old with pain, forgetting that a bottle of Salvation Oil will cure all.

Amusements.

The burlesque and specialty company, with Misses Hall and Bloodgood in the lead, have arrived and will appear tonight in a big specialty bill at the opera house. "Ox—y—gin" will be the comedy.

Friday night the renowned "Lights o' London" scenic play will be put on the stage in elegant style.

Saturday night the new melo-drama "Bound to Succeed," with a carload of special scenery, will be the attraction.

BEAUTIFUL chamber sets at small cost on sale at Dustman & Meyer's furniture store.

Dress Goods.

We have just received an additional invoice of magnificent dress goods, medium and low priced, and in all the novelties and popular shades in the markets. See them. *Our prices are extremely low.*
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WE are still holding on to the *Fifty Dollars Reward*. Those who have sent in solutions, by calling at the Business College, we will gladly prove to you why wrong. Now you can never make money easier—as there is nothing in the transactions that is not practical.

Let us see who will be first. *See handbill.*

THE GALLANT FORTY-FIRST.

Business Meetings Held During the Late Reunion—Full Roster of the Survivors.

THE FORTY-FIRST ILLINOIS REGIMENT.

The first session of this regiment was held at the court house, October 8th. Captain M. F. Kanan presided. The roll was called by the secretary and corrected. The secretary's annual report was a long one, and showed that much had been accomplished in the last year. Letters were read from Gen. W. T. Sherman, Gen. A. P. Hovey and Gen. W. Q. Gresham, in reference to the charge at Jackson, Miss., on July 12th, 1863. A report of the finances received and expended was also read.

On Thursday morning at the court house the regiment assembled and a reception was held in honor of Mrs. Col. I. C. Pugh and family, at the close of which the regiment was photographed by Mr. Piper, who will also photograph the old blue battle flag, and comrades can get pictures of the flag and regiment by addressing Mr. Piper, or the secretary of the regiment. There were 183 members present to answer to roll call; more than have ever been together since the war, and more than will ever again meet together. The regiment held a business meeting on Thursday at the headquarters of Dunham Post, at Camp Sheridan. Capt. J. F. Harrold presided, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—H. M. Minor, Lovington, Ill.
Vice President—G. C. Butts, Pana, Ill.
Corresponding and Recording Secretary—E. T. Lee, Cerro Gordo, Ill.

Company Secretaries were elected as follows: A, George R. Steele; B, N. E. Powell; C, G. B. Cundiff; D, Joe Worthington; E, J. J. Ward; F, A. D. Mulleary; G, John J. Benepte; H, Isaac Yantis; I, John Churchill; K, Enoch Gregory.

Speeches were made by President Minor, the old regimental chaplain; Benj. Swartz and others. Capt. J. B. Reed gave a historical sketch of the charge at Jackson, Miss.

Comrade J. H. Crowder was made an honorary member of the association. Before adjourning the association decided to hold the next annual reunion at Sullivan.

The 41st Illinois was the first regiment to organize at the fair grounds at Decatur, and dedicated the place as Camp Pugh. It was the first regiment to open the main battle at Fort Donelson, and the first regiment to land on the historic field at Shiloh. It belonged to Gen. S. A. Hurlbutt's 4th Division, 17th A. C., and with that division held the left centre at Shiloh for seven hours against the assault of the combined rebel forces. It participated in the Vicksburg campaign, and at Jackson, Miss., July 12, 1863, it was almost annihilated in the terrible assault on the rebel works, losing over two-thirds of the men and officers who went into the charge. It was on the Atlanta campaign and helped to bear the banner to the sea under Gen. W. T. Sherman, going through the Carolinas. It was present at the final surrender of Johnston's army, and participated in the great review at Washington, D. C. It is numbered among the eight Illinois regiments who lost the most men killed outright on the field. They are the 9th, 11th, 10th, 30th, 36th, 39th, 41st and 53d Illinois Regiments, as given from the record of the Adjutant General's report.

The 41st Illinois by resolution sent their old blue field flag to Memorial Hall, Springfield, where it will be placed along with the Illinois battle flags. The report of the secretary showed he had written over 1,000 letters in the last year in perfecting the organization.

In the procession on Thursday morning H. M. Streever and Lewis B. Marsh carried the colors of the 41st Illinois. Comrades March and Streever are the color bearers who had the colors at Jackson. Marsh was the first one shot carrying the blue banner. He was wounded. He bore what is left of the same banner. Streever carried the National colors and with his flag shot into he bore it off the field. This flag is at Memorial Hall, Springfield.

Among the first to arrive on Tuesday was the Rev. Benjamin C. Swarts, the presiding elder of the Newton, Kansas, district. He is the old chaplain of the 41st Ill., and opened the exercises with prayer. Chaplain Swarts during the battle of Shiloh received a bayonet wound in the hand, from which many of his comrades understood he died. His presence was a surprise to many of the 41st and he received a hearty welcome.

ROSTER.

The following is a roster of the 41st Illinois Regiment who were present at the reunion at Decatur, Ill., October 8th and 7th, 1886.

REGIMENTAL.

Lieutenant Colonel John Warner	Clinton, Ill
Major R. H. McFadden	Mattoon, Ill
Major Geo. R. Steele	Decatur, Ill
Chaplain B. F. Swarts	Newton, Kan
Q. M. John Baughman	Taylorville, Ill
Asst. Q. M. N. E. Powell	Sullivan, Ill
Asst. Surgeon J. W. Coleman	Monticello, Ill

COMPANY A.

M. F. Kanan	Decatur, Ill
Geo. R. Steele	Decatur, Ill
Geo. W. Betzer	Oreana, Ill
C. C. Crandle	Maroa, "
Aaron Cole	Cerro Gordo, Ill
J. W. Edmonson	Collinsville, Ill
Adam Ebert	Emont Furnace, Pa
Isaac W. Kile	Argenta, Ill
Reuben Longnbaugh	Decatur, Ill
K. H. Roby	Decatur, Ill
Joseph Ray	Forsyth, Ill
Theo. R. Strope	Oreana, Ill
H. M. Streever	Argenta, Ill
Aaron Smick	Decatur, Ill
H. L. Stookey	Decatur, Ill
J. H. Troxell	Argenta, Ill
William Wheeler	Mt. Zion, Ill
W. H. Whitesell	Decatur, Ill
H. R. Wilson	Decatur, Ill
H. S. Colladay	Decatur, Ill

COMPANY B.

James A. Butt	Bethany, Ill
R. D. Foster	Bethany, Ill
Emanuel Good	Decatur, Ill
J. C. Good	Decatur, Ill
H. F. Kennedy	Bethany, Ill
J. C. Morgan	Shelbyville, Ill
A. J. Mulholland	Bethany, Ill
H. M. Minor	Lovington, Ill
N. E. Powell	Sullivan, Ill
L. B. March	Lovington, Ill
William B. Smith	Bethany, Ill
A. B. Thomason	Todd's Point, Ill
John Taylor	Bethany, Ill
William Vaughn	Bethany, Ill
A. N. Wilson	Taylorville, Ill

COMPANY C.

John W. Bullock	Clinton, Kan
E. R. Bay	DeWitt, Ill
J. C. Adams	Kenney, Ill
W. T. Clifton	Kenney, Ill
J. B. Cundiff	Utica, Ill
Samuel Cohean	Delavan, Ill
H. Gesford	Defiance, Ill
James Gibson	Lane, Ill
Daniel Glenn	Decatur, Ill
Lewis Hill	Alexander, Mo
J. P. Hazel	Utica, Ill
William King	Wapella, Ill
Mathias Cline	Clinton, Ill
R. P. McHenry	Clinton, Ill
Reuben Poff	Kenney, Ill
F. M. Phares	Clinton, Ill
L. W. Sprague	Monticello, Ill
John F. Spencer	Clinton, Ill
Carl Spainhour	Lane, Ill
Samuel Stewart	Kenney, Ill
Samuel Wilson	Waynesville, Ill

COMPANY D.

R. H. McFaddon	Mattoon, Ill
Joseph Withington	Mattoon, Ill
Simeon Bundy	Sullivan, Ill
J. W. Cox	Martinsville, Ill
J. W. Ellis	Mattoon, Ill
Maurice German	Vandalia, Ill
Henry Ludwick	Clinton, Ill
F. A. Norvell	Mattoon, Ill
W. H. Wyman	Gays, Ill
W. C. White	Marshalltown, Ia
George Brosam	Sullivan, Ill

COMPANY E.

James A. Wilson	Casner, Ill
Robert Warnick	Boody, Ill
John Ward	Decatur, Ill
J. F. Walker	Boody, Ill
William Burnett	Boody, Ill
William Blair	Cherryvale, Kansas
R. Austin	Moawequa, Ill
Henry Jostes	Blue Mound, Ill
J. W. Little	Blue Mound, Ill
James McQuality	Blue Mound, Ill
James M. Nicholson	Lathrop, Mo
Charles Nevins	Decatur, Ill
J. A. Pasley	Prairie Hall, Illinois
G. W. Rolls	Lathrop, Mo.
F. M. Stephens	Blue Mound, Illinois
W. H. Stephens	Boody, "
C. H. Ulmer	Jacksonville, "
John Scott	Blue Mound, "
George F. Taylor	Lovington, "

COMPANY F.

J. F. Harrold	DeWitt, Illinois
John Armstrong	" "
Edward Cronap	Monticello, "
John T. Dollavou	Weldon, "
Hugh Davenport	Lane, "
J. C. Hughs	Seneca, Kan.
T. C. Haggard	Farmer City, Illinois
A. H Harris	Decatur, "
W. W. Murphy	Farmer City, "
A. D. McHenry	Clinton, "
Thos. Porter	DeWitt, "
C. P. Richards	Clinton, "
Thos. R. Smith	" "
Hugh Thompson	Lane, "
William H. Taylor	Clinton, "
G. W. Wakefield	Sioux City, Ia.
Alfred Wilson	Wapella, Illinois
J. M. Jones	DeWitt, "

COMPANY G.

Charles G. Young	Taylorville, Illinois
W. H. Andrews	DeWitt, "
G. C. Butt	Pana, "
D. E. McGarrah	" "
L. Hoover	Taylorville, "
George Hall	" "
Thos. Langley	" "
L. Richards	Waynesville, "
R. R. Ryan	Bradshaw, Neb.
Thos. Wahlow	Taylorville, "
John J. Benepte	Assumption, Illinois
Frank Crawford	Waynesville, "

COMPANY H.

W. F. Turney	Shelbyville, Illinois
Isaac Yantis	Dalton, "
B. F. Doyle	" "
A. U. Roy	Macon, "
Harmon Mietz	Dalton, "
William Verner	Lintner, "
Peter Wellhouse	Wakarusa, Kan.

COMPANY I.

E. T. Lee	Cerro Gordo, Ill.
Leander Green	Web City, Mo.
John Churchill	Illiopolis, Illinois
John Baughman	Taylorville, "
H. G. Crawford	Illiopolis, "
A. Flock	Grove City, "
John Fletcher	Blue Mound, "
Jonathan Grider	Argenta, "
J. B. Hopkins	Ashmead, Kan
Hiram Hougland	Taylorville, Illinois
Jacob Honshic	Blue Mound, "
John Harmon	Taylorville, "
Hugh Hunter	Illiopolis, "
John McKalg	Blue Mound, "
H. C. Porter	Grove City, "
A. S. Parrish	Taylorville, "
John Pentricus	Illiopolis, "
A. A. Shartzer	" "
Theophilus Sherman	Foster, Mo.
James Stonaugh	Triplet, Mo.
Michael Shea	Decatur, Illinois
Samuel Dickerson	Mechanicsburg, "
Alexander Marshall	Boliva, "
Henry Cochran	Blue Mound, "

COMPANY K.

Edward H. Bartlett	Greenwood, Ind.
George Cross	Clinton, Illinois
E. Conard	Decatur, "
Milton Z. Davis	Arcola, Mo.
Harrison Duncan	Forsythe, Illinois
Enoch Gregory	Clinton, "
George Mentger	Cerro Gordo, "
H. A. Snyder	Aurora Springs, Mo.
James Stewart	Wichita, Kan.
James Warren	Decatur, Illinois
John Blue	Rowell, "
Curtis Ray	Springfield, "
Clark Dement	Kenney, "

J. H. Crowder, Honorary Member 41st Ill., by vote of Association.

Suicide at Sixteen.

Alice Hughes committed suicide at Moawequa yesterday by drowning herself in a pond of water 12 inches deep. The girl had been betrayed, and in her disgrace she resolved to die. Her alleged betrayer has been held to the circuit court for trial. The young girl was but 16 years of age. She had lived with the family of W. R. Reighley for two years.

REPUBLICAN RALLY.

Big Meeting at the Court House,

Friday Evening, Oct. 15.

Speech by Hon. J. H. Rowell, Candidate for Congress.

The voters and ladies of Decatur are invited to attend the Republican Rally at the court house Friday night, when Capt. Rowell will address the meeting.

The members of the Young Republicans' Club are requested to meet at Guards' Armory at 7 o'clock for Escort duty. All Young Republicans, including those who have not yet had an opportunity to join the club, are urged to turn out.

THOMAS H. HARRIS, father of Mrs. John S. Jones, of Long Creek township, died at Concordia, Kansas, October 9th, aged 77 years, 7 months and 29 days. The deceased leaves a widow and five daughters. He lived in Decatur many years, and his occupation was that of a tailor. He went to Kansas during the past year. He was a native of Montgomery county, Maryland.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. I. N. Martin is in Chicago visiting her sister.

George Nebinger and wife went to Chicago yesterday to see the sights.

Mrs. E. A. Roach left last night for Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Mrs. W. G. Ross and son Carleton have returned from Rockford.

G. D. Thomas arrived yesterday from Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. Callender, wife of "Happy Cal.," has arrived from Little Rock, Ark.

Thomas Grove and wife, of Cerro Gordo, are visiting Mrs. Emma Walker.

Harriet J. Haines, of Chicago, representing the Slayton Lyceum Bureau, is at the New Deming.

Gen. John A. Logan will be the central figure at the Republican rally at Peoria Friday night.

Major J. W. Wilmeth, of Bloomington, is in the city visiting his cousins, the Hardy brothers.

"Chet" D. Holiday has opened a hardware and general repair shop at Blue Mound. He is doing well.

Hon. Ben Freeman, of Boston, is in the city on a visit, the guest of Supervisor Freeman, his brother.

Jasper Young and Miss Emma L. Potter, both of Maroa, were married in the Leland Hotel at Springfield Tuesday by Judge Matheny.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Nebinger passed through Decatur last night, en route for Chicago, to visit the Exposition and to transact business.

Miss Minnie Allyn, of St. Paul, Minn., arrived in the city yesterday afternoon for a visit among friends. She is with the family of E. B. Pratt.

Mrs. Clara Bowles and Miss Belle Hobbs, Decatur teachers, are in Chicago getting points at the Normal schools in that city.

Cal Waggoner is again at his desk at the bank. He has brought his bride home. The REPUBLICAN in the name of the city bids her welcome.

H. H. Betzer writes to have his REPUBLICAN sent to Adams, Neb., where he says corn is bringing 20 cents; oats 20 cents; hay $2 a ton in rick; potatoes 40 cents a bushel.

Joe Starr arrived home from Hot Springs, Ark., yesterday. Mrs. Starr who is yet in poor health, will remain at the Springs for the present. Her mother is with her.

Miss Grace Buck, of Chicago, Miss Jennie Whitcomb, of Minneapolis, Miss Celeste Duhring, of Kansas City, Miss Kate Brockenbrough, of Lafayette, and Miss Alice Servis, of St Louis, who with Miss Cora Chambers, of this city, are to be the bridesmaids at the Thomas-Race wedding to-morrow evening, have arrived in the city, and are guests of J. W. Race and family.

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MARRIED.

In this city, at the residence of the bride's father, Robert Wilson, No. 651 West Wood St., at 7 o'clock p. m., October 12th, by Rev. W. H. Wilder, MR. D. M. ITTNER, of Blue Mound, and MISS ANNA WILSON.

There was a large attendance, a fine wedding supper, and many useful presents for the bride.

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The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Commission Merchant, this city:

Wheat—71⅜ Oct; 73 Nov.; 74⅛ Dec; 81½ Jan.

Corn—34½ Oct; 35¾ Nov; 36⅞ Dec; 41⅛ Jan.

Oats—24¼ Oct; 25⅛ Nov; 26⅛ Dec. 30½ Jan.

Pork—$9.10 Oct; $9.10 Nov; $9.12 Dec; $10.09 Jan.

Lard—$5.77 Oct; $5.77 Nov; $5.87 Dec; $5.99 Jan.

Ribs—$6.75 Oct; $— Nov; $— Dec; $5.15 Jan.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs, 7,600; official yesterday, 4,028; shipments, 4,792; left over from yesterday, about 1,000; prices-mixed, $3.70@$4.45; heavy $3.70@4.15; packing, $4.20@$4.75; Cattle, 6,600; fairly active.

Car Lots—Winter wheat 18; spring 150; corn 288; oats 153; rye 6; barley 96.

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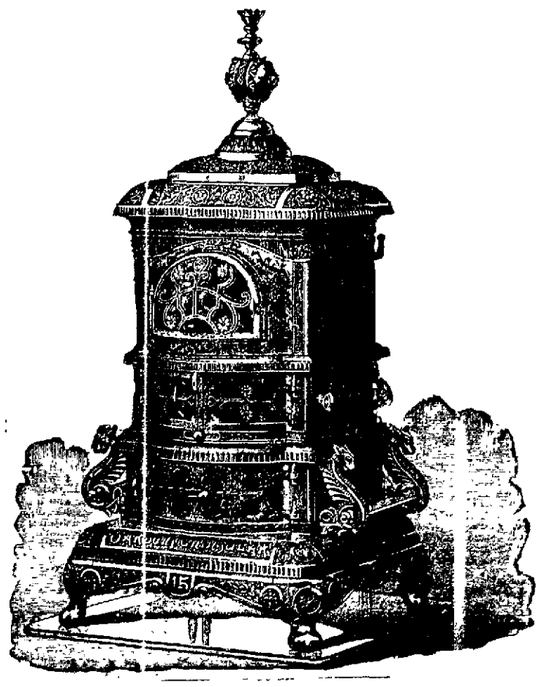

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LOST—About 10 a. m. on Monday, Oct. 11, somewhere on East Wood st., a suit of ladies' underwear, done up in a newspaper. The finder will please return it to the store of Linn & Scruggs, and receive suitable reward. 11d6*

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You will please take notice that on Tuesday, the 9th day of October, 1886, I will appear before His Excellency, R. J. Oglesby, Governor of the State of Illinois, and make application for the pardon of my son, John, for the remainder of his term of sentence in the county jail in Macon county, Illinois.

sept29-d3w JOHN MURPHY.

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CAMP MEETING TUNES,

To Which Were Sung Good Old Hymns in the Good Old Way.

[Special Correspondence.]

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Oct. 12.—The complaint goes up to high heaven, from the churches and Sunday schools of the regions which once knew the "circuit rider" in all his glory, that the so-called "sacred" music of to-day "doesn't wear like the good old tunes of camp meeting times." Forty years ago, which is further back than many of us dare to remember, in the days of backwoods revivals in that section of country which has been facetiously termed "the Wabash ague belt," many good but emotional people sang themselves nearer to God and the angels than folks are likely to get in these days of operatic jingle and rhyme.

My earliest religious experience, so my parents say, consisted in my dancing vigorously in my mother's arms—I was a vigorous 2-year-old—keeping time to the music, while a large backwoods congregation of somewhat primitive religionists sang:

Pray on, pray on, we're a-gaining ground,
Oh, halle-hallelujah!
The power of God is a-coming down,
Oh, halle-hallelujah!

and other rousing revival songs of the same character. There was one song, I remember, still popular in parts of western Indiana, with a swinging, joyous semi-refrain, "Oh tell me, happy sailor," and another beginning, with "Oh how happy are they," but sung to a quaint, inspiriting tune, now seldom heard, except in the out-of-the way parts of the country.

There were a dozen or two, perhaps twice that number, of those old fashioned revival songs and tunes which doubtless would be worth a fortune to the music publisher who would but take trouble to gather them together before the few remaining voices which once sung them are stilled forever. Then there might be added to the collection the "variations" of the still well known melodies which are yet preserved in "The American Vocalist," and stray copies of older books of the "fa-sol-la-fu" system, and there were some tunes in a work which contained a "figure" system of notation, with commas, periods and dashes to indicate the various lengths of the notes.

In a few of the country churches of the west you may frequently hear to-day the "variations" referred to, in which the comparatively plain and simple "psalm tune" of the notebook is almost lost in a succession of vocal glides, swells and diminuendos, which none but a skillful musician could express by means of musical notation. Even in the days of long ago critics who thought they knew said that "Italerma," "Ortonville," "Title Clear" and a score of other tunes were marred—murdered—by those untaught pilgrims to the tomb. Those sticklers for exactness forgot that the singers had caught the freedom of the winds of heaven which swayed the tree tops under which the camp meeting congregations assembled to worship—in "God's first temples."

What glorious singing they did in those days! Everybody, sinner as well as saint, sang then. The hymns were "lined" as an aid to those who were without hymn books, and the young man or young woman who did not "line in" the tune was looked upon as worse than a heathen and a publican. To assist in the singing was an essential part of the etiquette of the Lord's house, and everybody conformed to the custom.

There was one hymn which entirely captivated my boyish fancy. It was particularly adapted to calling out to the uttermost the vocal strength of the assembled worshipers. Everybody, from the old grandfather down to the tiniest urchin, knew the words, and, knowing, sang. In the music the bass and tenor, and even a few half afraid alto voices, found utterance for the talent but recently developed at the cross-roads "singing school," and the volume of sound rose with a force that at times threatened the integrity of the meeting house roof. The theme was a grand one—the triumph over the world, the flesh and the devil.

When I can read my title clear,

began the hymn in jubilant strains, then, the tune gradually rising to greater heights, came the next line

To mansions in—the—sk-i-es,

and while the elderly singers were dwelling with fond delay on the last word, the younger vocalists, eager for the next strain, began in softer tones

I'll bid farewell—

Now to me came the supreme moment. For a few seconds the bass and tenor were silent; but as the words,

I'll bid farewell—

were repeated the bass voices burst out with a roar like the approach of a thunderstorm, followed at the next repetition of

I'll bid farewell

by the ringing tenor of half a dozen brave and strong young men, every voice gathering strength as the succeeding words were sung—to every four,

then, as if each voice were the sweeping sword of a mighty conqueror, the last line of the verse was uttered with a fervor that thrilled the heart of the most case-hardened sinner:

And will leave my weeping eyes.

It was a foretaste of the victory of the ransomed.

A few seconds of silence followed, broken only by the wail of an infant on the "women folks'" side of the house, or the neigh of a lost colt among the teams hitched outside. Then succeeded other verses in like manner as described, until came the grand finale:

And not a wave—
And not a wave—
And not a wave of trouble roll
Across my peaceful breast;

and in contemplation of this happy Nirvanic conclusion of the Christian warfare the more spiritually minded members rested for a few minutes, until the next change in the exercises.

There was one good old brother, "Uncle Bliss," we called him—long since dead and gone to glory—who was looked upon as a sort of musical leader in a certain congregation I call to mind. He seemed to sing in one unbroken strain (when the verses were not "lined") from the beginning to the very last word of the hymn. How and when he managed to take breath no one could tell, and I think he carried the secret to his grave. Certain it was that, at the ends of the lines, where everybody else in the church halted, "Uncle Bliss" sang on triumphantly, as though he saw by an eye of faith the dazzling walls of the New Jerusalem. The volume of song poured forth from his lips in one long uninterrupted stream, like the prolonged parts of a fugue. It was absolutely marvelous.

The old "revival" tunes mentioned at the beginning of this article are still sung in various sections of the west, where exist certain religious denominations whose faith and practice have not, as yet, been completely modernized. Middle-aged man and women, "pillars of the church" they are called nowadays, once in a while break forth into the stirring strains of one of the old songs they learned twoscore years ago, when the pulpit orators and exhorters knew more of the gospel than they did of grammar, and the whole congregation sang "with the spirit and with the understanding."

There were sacred songs for all seasons, songs of grief and songs of joy—songs for the despondent, for the newly converted, for the old fathers and mothers in Israel, and for the stranger within the gates.

No matter what was said by the poor, trembling backslider who spoke falteringly in an "experience meeting," when he sat down amid the audible "God bless Brother ——s" of the church militant, a verse or two of song, appropriate both as to sentiment and melody, was sung to cheer him amid the trials and tribulations of his heavenward journey.

But the old songs and the old tunes are fast being forgotten as the good fathers and mothers who know and love them best drop one by one into the silence of the grave. It is to be hoped that some one will yet gather the unwritten melodies of early days, together with the quaint backwoods renderings of many still honored congregational tunes, and give them to a rising generation who find so little that is satisfying in the machine-made music of the present. LUCIUS GOSS.

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Representative—WILLIAM GRASON.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES LAUX as a candidate county treasurer.

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WM. E. NELSON.

We are authorized to announce J. N. DONAGHEY as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention.

ABOUT PORTLAND.

A View of the Maine City Through Boston Spectacles.

[Special Correspondence.]

BOSTON, Oct. 11.—I have been to Portland. Portland is well up in the universe, is built on a hill which is almost an island, has plenty of water and islands around it, and a prohibitory law which forces every honest saloonkeeper to relegate the sale of his intoxicating compounds to the delicate privacy of a back room. The city is beautifully drained. Thanks to Nature, and little praise to man, the streets are clean. The women who do not wear spectacles are beautiful, and there is a city liquor agency where just and reputable men who know how to make a proper and righteous use of whisky can be supplied by the pint, quart or gallon.

The oldest cemetery in Portland contains the bones of Commodore Preble and several other marine heroes, and in the city are the remains of a submarine, blue-blooded aristocracy, which looks down on that of Boston. There are no saloon signs to be seen in Portland except five ones. The Portland saloon stations a red, bulbous nose, with a man attached, outside. If you, as a stranger, ask him where on earth you can buy a glass of beer, he will jerk his thumb significantly over his shoulder, and say in English: "Go within, and don't stop at the first back door you meet, but force it open, and be then guided by the inner light." You will do so, and on facing the rear door see a bar, lined three deep outside, and from one to two perspiring barkeepers inside, loading and firing at will, while the rum and the cash cross each other over the counter in a constant succession of parabolas. It is an inspiriting sight, and shows what a persistent temperance agitation can do toward keeping up appearances inside and out. Viewed from a distance and Portland would readily pass for a total abstinence town. Viewed microscopically and interiorally, it dilutes its water in secret with more potent fluids.

If after the first drink you want another, all you need to do is to enter any other door where you see a plug of tobacco displayed in the window.

Portland is protected outside from foreign invasion by two strong forts, which are very useful to fire Fourth of July salutes from, and serve also as places for fattening United States officers and privates. The town was invaded from the rear many years ago by various tribes of foreigners and several of its most important industries captured, notably the retail sale of beer. The present Portlander dates almost everything back to the great fire, some twenty years ago. What he doesn't date back to the fire he does to the rise in taxes caused by the city's voting a few millions to the Portland and Ogdensburg railroad. Longfellow came pretty near being born in Portland and the house his parents lived in is pointed out with justifiable pride. They were just as good people as Longfellow anyway, and might perhaps have written poetry had they known it would have been saleable.

Portland is a city of considerable American antiquity. As a settlement or town with a charter, it is not as old as the deluge. As a location it is possibly much older. At one end of the city is a bed of fossil mussels, over which geologists have made several very profound guesses as to how they came there. At the other end of the town are sundry fossils which are not mussels.

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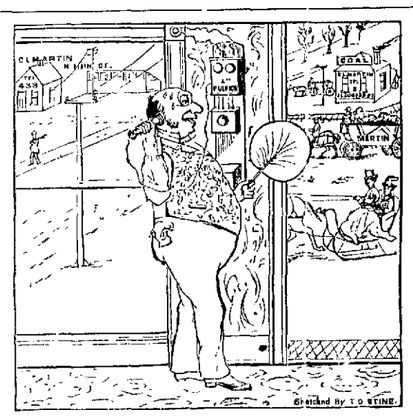

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No. 4 Pass	12:41 a.m.	No. 3 Pass	10:17 a.m.
No. 10 Local	4.10 p.m.	No. 11 Local	9:00 a. m
No. 12 Acc.	2:50 p.m.	No. 7 Act	11:50 a. m (Sunday only)

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NORTH.		SOUTH.	
No. 1 Pass	3:10 p.m.	No. 2 Pass	10:32 a m
No. 3 Pass	6:40 a m.	No. 4 Pass	10:12 p m.
No. 11 Ft	10 45 a.m.	No. 14 Ft	2:15 p m
		G. J. GRAHAM, Traffic Mg'r.	
		W. D. EWING, General M'g'r.	
		E. C. HOPKINS G. P. & F. Agt.	

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ARRIVE.		LEAVE.	
Pass	3:00 p. m	Pass	11:35 a. m.
Pass	4.15 a m	Pass	10:35 p. m.
Frgt	9:00 a. m.	Frgt	6:30 a. m.
Frgt	7:40 p. m.	Frgt (Fridays)	6 0 p. m.

W., ST. L. & P.—Main Line.

EAST.		WEST.	
No. 44	11:25 a. m.	No. 43	4. 5 a. m.
No. 42	9.45 p. m.	No. 41 acc.	7:00 a. m.
No. 46	3:25 a. m.	No. 45	3:15 p. m.
No. 48 acc.	7:00 p. m.	Freight acc.	12:30 p. m.
Freight acc	11:00 a. m.		

W., ST. L. & P.—Chicago and St Louis Div.

TO ST. LOUIS.		TO CHICAGO.	
No. 41	12:50 a. m.	No. 2	12:15 a. m.
No. 5	3.50 a. m.	No. 4	11:50 p. m.
No. 9	6:15 a. m.		
No. 43	4:15 a. m.		
No. 5.	3:05 p. m.		

ILLINOIS MIDLAND.

WEST.		EAST.	
No. 1 Pass	11:45 a. m.	No. 2 Pass	11:15 a. m.
No. 3 Ft't	3:00 a. m.	No. 4 Ft't	4. 0 a. m.

CHAMPAIGN & HAVANA LINE.

ARRIVE.		DEPART	
No. 7.	10:00 a. m.	No. 8	2:30 p. m

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